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**Product tested:** Taskisum Cloth (60 gsm)

**Study description:** Measuring the efficiency of Taskisum Cloth to remove dried microbial contamination from a stainless steel surface.

**Study objective:** To quantify what proportion of bacteria are removed from a stainless steel surface, by the product under test using a standard wiping action of that product, from the known number of bacterial cells initially inoculated on that surface.

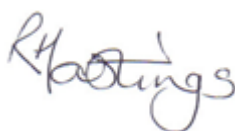
#### Results:

Microfiber Products included in this study	Bacterium	N° cells on SS	Mean N° cells recovered/cm <sup>2</sup> after wiping	% of cells removed from SS by product
Taskisum Cloth (60 gsm)	<i>S. aureus</i>	1.60E +07	Nil	99.998%
	<i>E.coli</i>	5.00E +06	Nil	99.995%

**Conclusion:** The Taskisum Cloth microfibre product examined in this study by its normal use demonstrated the ability to remove > Log 4 numbers of *S. aureus* and *E.coli* bacteria from a stainless steel surface.



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